



**COLGATE-PALMOLIVE Company**  
**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

*This industrial Material Safety Data Sheet is not intended for consumers and does not address consumer use of the product. For information regarding consumer applications of this product, refer to the product label.*

**Softsoap Liquid Hand Soap**

Effective Date: April 7, 2004

**1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

<b>Acute Health...1</b> <b>Fire.....0</b> <b>Reactivity.....0</b>	<b>COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY</b> <b>300 Park Avenue</b> <b>New York NY 10022</b>
<div>HMIS HAZARD RATING Least=0 Slight=1 Moderate=2 High=3 Extreme =4</div>	<b>EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER:</b> For emergency involving spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident, call CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300, day or night
<b>PRODUCT NAME:</b> Softsoap Liquid Hand Soap – All Variants	<b>For Medical Emergencies involving this product call: (888) 489-3861</b>
<b>CAS NUMBER:</b> Not applicable – product is a mixture	
<b>GENERAL USE:</b> Formulated liquid hand soap	

**2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

<b>OSHA-REGULATED COMPONENTS</b> (present at a concentration of > or = 1%):					The following components, present at a concentration of > or = 0.1%, are listed as carcinogens or potential carcinogens by either the National Toxicology Program (NTP), the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) or OSHA:				
Component	CAS#	%	PEL	TLV	Component	CAS#	%	PEL	TLV
Not Applicable					Not Applicable				

**3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS**

**EYE CONTACT:** Causes eye irritation on direct contact.

**SKIN CONTACT:** May cause skin irritation on prolonged or repeated contact.

**INGESTION:** May be harmful if swallowed in large quantities.

**INHALATION:** No adverse effects expected.

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

**EYE CONTACT:** Flush eyes with large amounts of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Rinse area with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

**INGESTION:** Drink 1-2 glasses of water. Get medical attention.

**INHALATION:** Not Applicable.

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## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point (Method): Not Applicable

Extinguishing Media: Water spray, all-purpose dry chemical, CO2.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be worn when fighting chemical fires.

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## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Cover with inert, absorbent material and remove to disposal container. Spill area may be slippery. Flush with plenty of water.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store in a tightly closed container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

GENERAL CONTROLS: Avoid eye and skin contact.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: The use of safety goggles and protective gloves is recommended.

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance and odor: Viscous liquid.

pH: 5.5 –6.7

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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

GENERAL: This product is stable. Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS: None known.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION: None known.

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product has not been tested as a whole. However, this formula was reviewed by expert toxicologists in the Product Safety Assurance Department of Colgate-Palmolive and is determined to be safe for its intended use. This review has taken into consideration available safety-related information including information on individual ingredients, similar ingredients, similar formulas and potential ingredient interactions. This review is a component of the hazard determination used to prepare the statements in Section 3 of the MSDS.

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not Available

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Any disposal practice must be in compliance with local, state, and federal laws and regulations (contact local or state environmental agency for specific rules). Do not dump into sewers, any body of water or onto the ground.

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## 14. TRANSPORTATION

Not regulated as a DOT hazardous material.

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

<p><b>RCRA</b> (40 CFR 261, Subpart D): Not Applicable</p> <p><b>CLEAN WATER ACT:</b> Not Applicable</p> <p><b>CLEAN AIR ACT:</b> Some variants contain diethanolamine which is a Section 311 material.</p> <p><b>SARA:</b> Sections 301-304 (Threshold planning quantity - TPQ) 40 CFR 355: Not Applicable</p> <p><b>Section 313</b> (Toxic chemical release reporting) 40 CFR 372: The following chemicals must be reported under SARA 313: Not Applicable</p> <p><b>CERCLA:</b> Section 102 (Reportable Quantity - RQ) 40 CFR 302: The Reportable Quantity (RQ) for the Holiday, Naturals Light Moisturizers and Milk and Rose variants to the environment is 50,000 lbs. based on the presence of diethanolamine (0.2%); for 2 in 1 variant 3,333,333 lbs. based on the presence of diethanolamine (0.003%). Releases greater than or equal to quantities listed above must be reported to the National Response Center (NRC) immediately: 800-424-8802</p>	<p><b>New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substance List:</b> This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: Some variants contain diethanolamine</p> <p><b>Pennsylvania Hazardous Substance List:</b> This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: None</p> <p><b>Massachusetts Substance List:</b> This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: Some variants contain diethanolamine</p> <p><b>Canada: Workplace Hazardous materials Information System (WHMIS)-listed material.</b> This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: None</p>
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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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